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Subject: RE: House TRI bill
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OPPT has provided a summary below on the House and Senate bills and how they differ. Please let me know if you have any questions or need additional info.

The House bill would (1) add all PFAS chemicals on the TSCA inventory (8(b)) within 30 days of enactment at a 1,000-pound reporting threshold, (2) expand the scope of TRI reporting to include certain transportation industry sectors for the reporting of PFAS chemicals, and (3) prevent EPA from delisting any PFAS chemical.

The Senate bill would (1) immediately add PFAS chemicals that are active and have been subject to certain SNURs (any chemical listed under 40 CFR 721.9582 or 721.10536) at a 100-pound reporting threshold; (2) immediately add active PFAS chemicals for which EPA establishes toxicity values or conducts a TSCA 5(a)(2) or 5(f) action or has been subject to such an action and has become active; (3) require EPA to determine whether or not to add certain other PFAS chemicals within 5 years of enactment; (4) recognizes the need for EPA to consider implications and policies of adding chemicals with CBI identities to the TRI list; and (5) directs EPA to determine whether the 100-pound reporting threshold is appropriate within five years of enactment.

Key differences: The House bill would immediately add more chemicals at a higher reporting threshold while going beyond the current scope of TRI-covered industries while the Senate bill uses a lower reporting threshold for a more discrete (though still large) set of PFAS chemicals and contemplates future additions based on future activities involving PFAS chemicals not on the TRI list.

Thanks,
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Just a heads up on new Kildee bill on PFAS and TRI.